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*The instructors in Music are not appointed or paid by the State, but receiver the income derived from the Class.

†Filled by the other members of the Faculty.

THE NORMAL COURSE.

This course is intended to embrace three years, but the time consumed by it will depend upon the age and previous training of the pupils and their diligence in study. The instruction in this department will be confined almost entirely to the English branches, the great object being to prepare and train teachers for their profession. Every effort will be made to secure a thorough study and accurate knowledge of the English tongue. Teachers will be instructed in the various methods of organizing and classifying schools, and trained in the most improved methods of teaching. The pupils of this department will be arranged in three classes: Junior, Middle and Senior; and, upon the completion of the Senior Course, and an examination, equal at least to seventy-five per cent of the questions asked upon the studies of the same, the Board of Regents will confer upon the candidates a Diploma, with the title of Normal Graduate, which will enable the holder to teach anywhere in the State. These examinations are more extensive and the test of scholarship much higher than is required of candidates before the County Boards of examiners.

JUNIOR CLASS.

FIRST TERM—16 WEEKS.

Spelling—Webster's Dictionary.
Reading—McGuffey's Sixth Reader.
Writing—Eclectic System.
Geography—Maury's Manual.
Arithmetic—Common and Decimal Fractions. Ray.
Language Lessons—Reed & Kellogg.
U. S. History—Venable's.

SECOND TERM—12 WEEKS.

Spelling—Westlake's Practice Words.
Reading—McGuffey's Sixth Reader.
Writing—Eclectic System.
Geography—Maury's Manual.
Arithmetic—Percentage, Interest and Discount.
Elementary Eng. Gram.—Reed and Kellogg.
U. S. History—Venable's.

THIRD TERM—12 WEEKS.

Spelling—Westlake's Practice Words.
Reading—Kidd's Rhetorical Reader.
Geography—Eclectic—(W. Va. Edition).
Arithmetic—Ratio, Square and Cube Root. Ray's.
U. S. History Reviewed.
English Grammar—Swinton's, Part II.

Regular exercises in Composition and Declamation before the whole school throughout the year.

MIDDLE CLASS.

FIRST TERM—16 WEEKS.

Spelling—By Written Exercise.
Reading—With special reference to Tone, &c.
Sentence Analysis—Swinton's, Part III.
Physical Geography—Maury's.
Algebra—To Simple Equations of two or more Unknown Quantities. Ray's.
Arithmetic—Once a Week—selected parts—Ray's.

SECOND TERM—12 WEEKS.

Spelling—By Written Exercises.
Reading—With special attention to Pronunciation.
Rhetoric and Composition—Hart's.
Algebra—To Quadratic Equations—Ray's.
Arithmetic—Once a week—selected parts.
Sentence Making and Analysis—Weekly.

THIRD TERM—12 WEEKS.

Spelling—By Written Exercise.
Reading—With special reference to Accent and Enunciation.
General History—J. P. Carter's.
Algebra Reviewed—Ray's.
Theory and Practice of Teaching to those who, at this stage, desire to teach.

Regular exercises in Composition and Declamation before the whole school throughout the year.

SENIOR CLASS.

FIRST TERM—16 WEEKS.

Spelling—By Dictation.
Rhetoric, Completed—Hepburn's.
English Grammar—By Lectures.
Algebra, Completed—Ray's.
Geometry, Begun—Schuyler's.
Natural Ppilosophy—Norton's.

SECOND TERM—12 WEEKS.

Spelling—By Dictation Exercises.
Natural History—Hooker's.
Natural Philosophy—Completed.
Geometry—Completed.
Book-keeping, Single Entry—Bryant's.

THIRD TERM—12 WEEKS.

Spelling—By Dictation.
Plane Trigonometry—Schuyler's.
School Economy, &c.—Wickersham's.
Theory and Practice of Teaching—By Lectures.
School Law of the State.
Ancient and Modern Languages are optional in this Department.

There will be regular exercises in Composition and Declamation throughout the entire year.

Expositions of the School Law will be given, and Lectures delivered on—

1. The best methods of training the mind and teaching the different branches of Study.

2. The best plans for organizing, classifying and governing Schools.

Normal pupils will be required to hear classes recite on the different branches, in the presence of their instructor, and their manner of doing it will be criticised and faults pointed out.

Normal Department.

Post Graduates.

Names.	*Residence.*
Hout, Harry Lee	Shepherdstown, W. Va
Knott, Wm. J	Knott's Mill, W. Va.
Logie, Wm. Jennings	Kearneysville, W. Va
Rentch, Jeff. Davis	Shepherdstown, W. Va.

Senior Normal Class.

LADIES.

Names.	*Residence.*
Brooke, Virginia L	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Chrisman, Minnie R	Berkeley county, W. Va
Entler, Mary E	Shepherdstown, W. Va
Fleming, Annie N	Shepherdstown, W Va.
Folk, Ida E	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Huyett, Louisa P	Shepherdstown, W Va.
Murphy, Laura May	Louisville, Ky.
Lemen, Sallie B	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Ray, Anna V	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Snyder, Hibernia Lee	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Smyth, Jenny R	Berkeley county, W. Va.

Total 11.

GENTLEMEN.

Names.	*Residence.*
Custer, Charles J	Leetown, W. Va.
Engle John P	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Folk, Daniel H	Berkeley county, W. Va.
Miller, John Briscoe	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Ramsburg, Geo. H	Leetown, W. Va.
Trostle, Benj. F	Kearnesville, W. Va.
Turner J. Franklin	Jefferson county, W. Va.

Total, 7.

Middle Normal Class.

LADIES.

Names.	*Residence.*
Hocker, Minnie Alberta	Carlisle, Pa.
Jones, Lily Lee	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Johnson, Georgie Lee	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Knadler, Mary E	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Line, Mary E	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Pendleton, Helen B	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Tanner, Iola J	Minnier, Ill.
Wysong, Helen M	Jefferson county, W. Va.

Total 8

GENTLEMEN.

Names.	*Residence.*
Billmyer, Robert Miller	Billmyer's Mills, W. Va.
Billmyer, George W	Shepherdstown. W. Va.
Hill Rowland W	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Hunter, Elmer	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Lemen, Thomas T	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Reinhart, John	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Stonebraker, William M	Shepherdstown, W. Va.

Total 7.

Junior Normal Class.

LADIES.

Names.	*Residence.*
Blackford, Marion Lee	Washington county, Md.
Entler, Lily W	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Folk, Kate Virginia	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Hill, Mary C	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Pendleton, Alice Page	Jefferson county, W. Va.

Total 5.

GENTLEMEN.

Names.	*Residence.*
Heskett, Daniel E	Greenwood Furnace, Pa.
Strode, Edward Lucas	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Van Metre, William H	Jefferson county, W. Va.

Total 8.

Preparatory Class.

Names.	*Residence.*
Adams, Ida Estella	Sheperdstown, W. Va.
Crow, Fanny Virginia	Riverside, W. Va.
Herr, Nannie Bell	Sandy Ridge, W. Va.
Jones Fanny Estella	Sheperdstown, W. Va.
Pendleton, Elizabeth	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Poffinberger, Estella	Bridgeport, Md.
Stonebraker, Urena	Sheperdstown, W. Va.
Blackford, Robert Lee	Washington county, Md.
Morgan, Daniel H	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Morgan, William A	Jefferson county, W. Va.

Total 10.

COLLEGIATE DEPARTMENT.

This department is intended to supply the demand of those who desire to continue their studies in the higher English Branches, and, at the same time, obtain a creditable profiency in the Ancient and Modern Languages, and the Sciences. Hence, the studies are arranged so that the pupils may attain the greatest proficiency in English, and lay a foundation in the Classics. Ancient and Modern Languages are both taught. Pupils must have at least, three recitations daily, and such branches only are permitted to be studied as can be thoroughly taught and learned in the time allotted for their pursuit.

FRESHMAN CLASS.

FIRST TERM—16 WEEKS.

Arithmetic—Common and Decimal Fractions.
Geography—Maury's Manual.
Language Lessons and English Gram.
U. S. History.
Latin Grammar.
Greek Grammar.

SECOND TERM—12 WEEKS.

Arithmetic—Percentage, Interest, &c.
Geography—Continued.
English Grammar—Continued.
U. S. History—Continued.
Latin Reader.
Greek Reader.

THIRD TERM—12 WEEKS.

Geography—Completed and Reviewed.
English Grammar—Analysis of Sentences.
U. S. History—Completed and Reviewed.
Arithmetic—Ratio, Square and Cube Root.

Regular exercises throughout the year, in Spelling, Reading, Writing, Declamation and Composition.

SOPHOMORE CLASS.

FIRST TERM—16 WEEKS.

Physical Geography—Begun and Completed.
Algebra—To Simple Equations of two unknown quantities.
Arithmetic—Once a week.
Latin Reader—Continued.
Greek Reader—Continued.
French—Twice a week.
German—Three times a week.

SECOND TERM—12 WEEKS.

Rhetoric and Composition.
Algebra—To Quadratics.
Arithmetic—Once a week.
Latin—Continued.
Greek—Continued.
French—Twice a week.
German—Three times a week.

THIRD TERM—12 WEEKS.

General History—Begun and Completed.
Algebra—Reviewed.
Latin—Continued.
Greek—Continued.
French and German—Continued.

Regular exercises in Reading, Declamation, and Composition, throughout the year.

JUNIOR CLASS.

FIRST TERM—16 WEEKS.

English Literature.
Algebra—Completed.
Geometry—Begun.
Natural Philosophy—Begun.
Latin and Greek—Continued.
French and German—Continued.

SECOND TERM—12 WEEKS.

Natural History—Begun and Completed.
Natural Philosophy—Continued.
Geometry—Continued.
Book-keeping—Single Entry.
Latin and Greek—Continued.
French and German—Continued.

THIRD TERM—12 WEEKS.

Geometry—Completed and Trigonometry begun.
Natural Philosophy—Completed.
Latin and Greek—Continued.
French and German—Continued.

Regular exercises in Reading, Declamation and Composition.

SENIOR CLASS.

FIRST TERM—16 WEEKS.

Botany and Geology.
Trigonometry—Continued.
Latin and Greek—Continued.
French and German—Continued.

SECOND TERM—12 WEEKS

Physiology and Hygiene.
Mensuration and Surveying.
Mental Phylosophy—Abercrombie.
Latin and Greek—Continued.
French and German—Continued.

SENIOR CLASS—Continued.

THIRD TERM—12 WEEKS.

Chemistry.
Mental Philosophy—Completed.
Mensuration and Surveying—Completed.
Latin and Greek—Continued.
French and German—Continued.
General Review of the Course.

Regular exercises in Reading, Declamation and Composition, throughout the year.

Senior Class.

Names.	*Residence.*
Hout, Harry Lee	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Knott, Wm. J	Knott's Mill, W. Va.
Logie, William J	Kearneysville, W. Va.
Rentch, Jeff Davis	Shepherdstown, W. Va.

Junior Class.

Names.	*Residence.*
Brooke, Virginia L	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Chrisman, Minnie R	Berkeley county, W. Va.
Entler, Mary E	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Fleming, Annie N	Sheperdstown, W. Va.
Folk, Ida E	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Huyett, Louisa P	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Murphy Laura May	Louisville, Kentucky.
Lemen, Sallie B	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Ray, Annie Virginia	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Snyder, Hibernia Lee	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Smyth, Jenny R	Berkeley county, W. Va.
Custer, Charles J	Leetown, W. Va.
Engle, John P	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Folk, Daniel H	Berkeley county, W. Va.
Miller, John Briscoe	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Ranesbury, Geo. H	Leetown, W. Va.
Trostle, Benjamin F	Kearneysville, W. Va.
Turner, J. Franklin	Jefferson county, W. Va.

Total, 18.

Sophomore Class.

Names.	*Residence.*
Hocker, Minnie A.	Carlisle, Pa.
Jones, Lily Lee.	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Johnson, Georgie Lee	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Knadler, Mary E.	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Line Mary E.	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Pendleton, Helen B.	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Tanner, Iola J.	Minnier, Illinois.
Wysong, Helen M.	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Billmyer, Robert Miller.	Billmyer's Mill, W. Va.
Billmyer, George W.	Shepherdstown W. Va.
Hill, Rowland W.	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Hunter, Elmer.	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Lemen, Thomas T.	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Reinhart, John.	Jefferson county. W. Va.
Stonebraker, Wm. M.	Shepherdstown, W. Va.

Total, 15.

Freshman Class.

Names.	*Residence.*
Blackford, Marion Lee	Washington county, Md.
Entler, Lilly W.	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Folk, Kate Virginia	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Pendleton, Alice Page.	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Heskett, Daniel E.	Greenwood Furnace, Penna.
Strode, Edward Lucas	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Vanmetre, Wm. H.	Jefferson county, W. Va.

SUMMARY.

NORMAL DEPARTMENT.

POST GRADUATES	4
SENIOR NORMAL CLASS	18
MIDDLE NORMAL CLASS	15
JUNIOR NORMAL CLASS	8
PREPARATORY CLASS	10
TOTAL	55

COLLEGIATE DEPARTMENT.

SENIOR CLASS	4
JUNIOR CLASS	18
SOPHMORE CLASS	15
FRESHMAN CLASS	8
TOTAL	45

CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY NIGHT, June 16th—Address before the Literary Societies.
SATURDAY MORNING, June 19th—Commencement of Normal Department.
THURSDAY NIGHT, June 17th—Alumni Anniversary.
FRIDAY NIGHT June 18th—Commencement of Collegiate Department.
MONDAY, September 6th—Begins Session of 1880–81.

General Information.

ORIGIN OF THE SCHOOL.

During the spring of 1871, Mr. Shepherd Brooks, the grandson and heir of the late Rezin Davis Shepherd, of this vicinity, was applied to for the buildings erected by his garndfather in Shepherdstown, (which had been used as a court-house while the county seat was at this place, and to which the county had added two wings), for the purpose of opening therein a Classical and Scientific School. Permission was readily given, and after some preliminary arrangement, a lease of the property for a term of years and renewable, was granted for that purpose. A Board of Trustees was incorporated, with a charter conferring upon them certain privileges similar to other institutions of learning. The school was opened in September, 1871, and February 27th, following, the Legislature established a Branch State Normal School in Shepherd College, which school was organized by the Regents, November 21, 1872. This act was amended by an act approved February 14, 1873, but before it was put into operation it was annulled by the Amended School law, passed April 12, 1873, which re-enacted the law of February 27, 1872. Owing to these changes and delays, the School did not get fully into operation until September 9, 1873, but has been in successful operation ever since.

THE DESIGN OF THE SCHOOL.

The design of the school is to afford the opportunity of obtaining a thorough English education, and to train teachers for the free schools of the State. In addition to the English or Normal Course, there is a Collegiate Department, in which the studies are so arranged that all, whether desiring to become teachers or not, may obtain a good education and be prepared for the practical duties of life. One great object being to supply the demand for an Intermediate School, in which a more extensive English course may be taught, and at the same time enable pupils to obtain a creditable proficiency in the Classics and Mathematics so that they may continue these, if desir-

able, in the higher institutions of learning, in which more time can be given to such studies. The expenses have been made so moderate that all can take advadtage of the opportunity thus afforded of pursuing an extended course of study. The school is open to both sexes, but the buildings and grounds are so arranged that each department can be kept entirely separate. The ladies and gentlemen come together only at recitations, lectures and general assemblages, at which times they are alway in the presence of one or more of the instructors.

CLASSIFICATION.

In order to impart thorough instruction in the English branches, all pupils will be classified under the Normal course, whether desiring to become teachers or not, and the pursuit of this course, and a full acquaintance with it, will be enjoined upon all.

Students, after completing the Normal Course, can enter the Collegiate Department, or when it will not abridge the Normal Course, they may carry the two along together.

THE METHOD OF TEACHING.

Instruction is given by daily recitations, by familiar remarks and illustrations upon each lesson recited, by blackboard exercises and lectures. Frequent exemplifications of the best methods of teaching the various branches will be given. Every effort will be made to interest the students in their studies and induce application on their part, without which all teaching is vain.

NORMAL SCHOOL WORK.

It is the peculiar province of Normal Schools to train students for the office of teachers, and point out to them the most approved and successful methods of instruction and recitation, as well as the best system of organizing, classifying, and governing Schools. It includes a knowledge of the branches taught as well as the manner of teaching them, and its object is to form in the students enconomical and regular habits of study, so as to prepare them for intelligent and systematic teachers.

ENGLISH LANGUAGE AND LITERATURE.

It is admitted on all sides that the English language cannot be mastered by the study of Grammar only; nor by mere reading. The theory of language is the expression of thought, correctly and concisely. The study of the English language in its widest sense means the study of English prose and verse, and a constant practice in composition.

The aim, therefore, in this department is: (1) To give the pupils a good knowledge of his mother tongue, embracing its history, structure, and philological relations; (2) To cultivate the power of thought, and to aid and encourage the pupil in the expression of thought, in the form of both verbal and written composition; (3) To form and cutivate a taste for good literature, and

to lead the pupil by successive steps up to the appreciation of the English classics, which, in the advanced classes, are studied critically and with no less zeal and faithfulness than the ancient classics are in our best colleges.

NORMAL DIPLOMAS.

Students who pursue the Normal Course prescribed, whether State pupils or not, and sustain an examination upon the same equal to seventy-five per cent. of the questions asked, will receive a Diploma from the Board of Regents, which will entitle them to teach anywhere in the State. These diplomas are made by law equal to number one County Certificates, and entitled to the same pay, but may be annulled by the State Superintendent, for the same reasons that would withhold them in the first place.

DEGREES.

The Trustees are authorized to confer upon such students as have completed the English course of studies prescribed for the Collegiate Department, and sustained a satisfactory examination upon the same, a diploma with the title of Mistress, or Master, of English Literature, accompanied by a Certificate, certifying their degree of proficiency in the Ancient and Modern Languages.

EXAMINATIONS.

Each class will be examined upon the studies of the year, and no student will be permitted to advance until said examination has been sustained. Wilful absence from examination will not be tolerated. These examinations will be conducted by the teachers in their respective departments, under the supervision of the Principal of the school, and will be either oral or written, or both combined. The names of the students who stand in the first grade in these examinations, and average the same in their monthly reports, will be read out at Commencement, as distinguished.

ADVANTAGES.

This school has many advantages. Among which are the opportunities afforded for a good English education; the facilities for study; the comfortable rooms; the moderate expenses; the healthfulness and accessibility of the place; the refined and cultivated character of the community. The study rooms are commodious, comfortable, well-lighted, and furnished with improved desks, and the recitation rooms are well adapted for that purpose.

GOVERNMENT.

The government of the institution will be mild but firm. Students are expected to do promptly what is required of them, to obey all the rules and regulations of the school, and to conduct themselves as gentlemen and ladies—refraining from all improprieties of conduct. The better feelings of the pupils and their sence of right will be appealed to, rather than severe and violent measures used. Scholarship will be the main object, but a due regard will be

had and proper attention paid to the health and morals of the pupils. Idleness and neglect of studies will not be tolerated.

MONTHLY REPORTS.

Monthly reports of the conduct, progress and attendance of the pupils, made up from the daily record of the several instructors, will be sent to parents, and they are earnestly requested to examine them and report to the Principal whether they are regularly received. Parents and guardians should show an interest in the progress of their children and wards, and as often as possible attend their recitations. Parents are requested to sign and return the reports to the teachers.

POST GRADUATES.

Graduates of either department of the College may obtain the privilege of continuing their studies in any special branches that they may desire, by application to the Principal.

THE BUILDINGS.

The buildings are new, commodious, admirably arranged for the purpose intended, consisting of a Public Hall, Library, Recitation and Lecture Rooms, and beautifully situated on an eminence near the centre of the town, with handsome grounds surrounding. The main building was erected by the late R. D. Shepherd, of this vicinity, and wings have been added since, the whole costing more than $30,000. The use of said buildings has been generously donated to the Trustees, by Shepherd Brooks, Esq., of Boston, his grandson, for school purposes.

LOCATION.

Shepherdstown is a village of about 1400 inhabitants, on the south bank of the Potomac, at the entrance of the Shenandoah Valley, and is noted for its healthfulness, many seeking it as a summer resort. It is easy of access by the S. V. Railroad. There are six churches in the village, and pupils can attend any one their parents may desire. The community is noted for its morality and sobriety.

ADMISSION.

To enter the Normal Department, the applicant, if a male, must be 14 years of age; if a female, 13 years of age, and must be able to pass an examination in Spelling, Reading, Arithmetic, Geography and First Lessons in English Grammar. To enter the Collegiate Department, they must each be one year older, and must be prepared to stand an examination upon the Junior Normal Course; this will be insisted upon.

The time for this examination will be the first day of the opening term, when pupils will be assigned to the classes for which they are found prepared. All applications should be made to the Principal before the beginning of the term.

EXPENSES.

The rates of tuition for pay Scholars are fixed as follows :

Junior Normal Course	pro rata	$20.00	per year.
Middle and Senior Normal Course	"	24.00	" "
Collegiate Department	"	32.00	" "
Incidental Expenses	"	1.00	per term.

All fees must be paid in advance. No abatement will be made for a fraction of a month, or for absence, except in cases of sickness extending over a month, and for suspension or expulsion. State Normal pupils enter free of charge for tuition and use of Library and apparatus.*

Board can be had in private families at from $2.50 to $4.00 per week. Students who board in town will be under the care of the teachers at all times, and families who board pupils will be required to report any misconduct on the part of the pupil, or any neglect of studies.

LITERARY SOCIETIES.

There are two Literary Societies connected with the College, and they are both well attended and well conducted—the Parthenian, composed of females, and Ciceronian, composed of males.

There is also an alumni association, composed of the graduates of both departments of the College.

LIBRARY AND CABINET.

The Library and Cabinet are yet small, but increasing. Contributions to both are earnestly solicited. If any persons have old books and geological specimens which they little value, they would confer a favor upon the College by donating them to the Library and Cabinet.

MUSIC.

This department is not made a part of the College curriculum, but a teacher of vocal and instrumental Music will be employed, and an opportunity given to those who desire to pursue this branch, to take lessons at the instructor's charges, which will be made moderate.

MORAL CULTURE.

This School is a State institution, and is non-sectarian in every respect. There are six different denominations in town, and each has a prosperous Sabbath School and regular service, so that students can attend any church their parents or guardians may name. They will be required to attend church regularly every Sabbath, and be present at the opening exercises of the School in the morning, which consist of singing, reading of Scripture and prayer.

*As the Legislature made no provision for such pupils for the years 1879-80, the operation of this cluase is suspended for that time.

TEACHERS RECOMMENDED.

County Superintendents and others desiring teachers are requested to correspond with the Principal. They are assured that no incompetent teacher will be recommended. There are several good teachers, graduates of this School, now desirous of obtaining situations. There are many graduates of this School now teaching, and they all bring good reports of their work.

STATE NORMAL PUPILS.

Such pupils are admitted free of tuition and books, on condition that they teach one year in the free schools of the State, at the usual compensation. Application for Normal appointments should be made to the Superintendent of the County in which the applicant resides; but if the quota of the County ls full, application should be made to the Principal of the school the applicant desires to attend. The number to which each county is entitled has recently been fixed by the Board of Regents as follows:

Barbour	9	Mineral	6
Berkeley	13	Monongalia	12
Boone	4	Monroe	9
Braxton	6	Morgan	4
Brooke	5	McDowell	2
Cabell	10	Nicholas	4
Calhoun	4	Ohio	26
Clay	2	Pendleton	6
Doddridge	6	Pleasants	3
Fayette	6	Pocahontas	4
Gilmer	4	Preston	13
Grant	4	Putnam	7
Greenbrier	9	Raleigh	3
Hampshire	7	Randolph	5
Hancock	4	Ritchie	8
Hardy	5	Roane	7
Harrison	15	Summers	4
Jackson	9	Taylor	8
Jefferson	12	Tucker	2
Kanawha	20	Tyler	7
Lewis	9	Upshur	7
Lincoln	5	Wayne	7
Logan	5	Webster	2
Marion	13	Wetzel	8
Marshall	13	Wirt	4
Mason	14	Wood	17
Mercer	6	Wyoming	3

TO PATRONS AND STUDENTS.

The importance of prompt attendance at the beginning of the session cannot be too strongly urged. The loss of a few days then is very serious, and interferes greatly with the advancement of the pupils. Equally as great an evil is the unnecessary and frequent absences during the term. One or two days lost in a week or month deranges all the pupil's studies, puts him behind in his class, and discourages him. Time thus lost can not be made up without great difficulty and labor, and but few pupils regain time thus lost. All students are expected to comply fully and promptly with the rules adopted by the Regents for "the Government of Pupils."

THE SCHOOL YEAR.

The school year consists of forty weeks, and is divided into three consecutive terms; the first begins the first Monday in September, and continues sixteen weeks; the second begins January first, and continues twelve weeks; the third begins April first, and continues twelve weeks. The next school year begins September 6, 1880.

THE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

Holds its annual meeting at Commencement. It is composed of all the students who have graduated in the Normal Department.

ALUMNI

OF THE

Normal Department.

1873-4.

LADIES.

Names.	*Occupation.*	*Residence.*
Billmyer, Ida M	At Home	Berkeley county, W. Va.
Byers, Arabella	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Chapline, Ida V	Teacher	Mineral county, W. Va.
Cockrell, Rosa A	Teacher	Harper's Ferry, W. Va.
Fawcett, Annie E	Teacher	Hampshire co., W. Va.
Fulk, Mary F	At Home	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Kearney, Ida B	Prin. Female School	Middleway, W. Va.
Kelsey, Ella M	Assistant Teacher	Keedysville, Md.
*Koontz, Sue V	Formely a Teacher	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Licklider, Annie D	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Powell, Elanor S	Teacher	Fauquier county, Va.
Snyder, Rose	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.

Total.....12

GENTLEMEN,

Names.	*Occupation.*	*Residence.*
Craighill, Wm. Price	Student	W. and L. University, Va.
Engle, James M	Teacher	Duffield, W. Va.
Fulk, Charles M	Farmer	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Henkle, Wm. J.	Farmer	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Lemaster, Andrew J	Physican	Bedington, W. Va.
Miller, Charles J	Merchant	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Miller Clinton M	Teacher	Berkeley county, W. Va.
Morgan, Augustine C	Farmer	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Wiley, James W	Teacher	Berkeley county, W. Va.

Total.....9.

*Married Robert Campbell Hess, February, 5th, 1879.

1874-5.

LADIES.

Names.	*Occupation.*	*Residence.*
Byers, Rose A	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Byers, S. Ella	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Fleming, Ida.	Teacher	Mineral county, W. Va.
Groff, Katie	Teacher	Berkeley county, W. Va.
Harp, Ada M	Prin. Graded School	Middleway, W. Va.
Harrison, Annie S	Ass't Cl'k Savings B'k.	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Hawkins, Emma K	Teacher	Prosperity, S. C.
Hill, Ida M	Teacher	Shepherstown, W. Va.
*Hoffman, Julia A	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
†Lee, Laura M	At Home	Fort Monroe, Va.
Lemen, Ida P	At Home	Berkeley county, W. Va.
‡McAnley, Florence	At Home	Kearneysville, W. Va.
Morison, Brownie	At Home	Berkeley county, W. Va.
Osbourn, Annie B	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Rentch, Kate L	At Home	Clarksville, Tenn.
Shepherd, Fannie	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Smurr, Ida M	Teacher	Ridgeville, W. Va.

Total.....17

GENTLEMEN.

Names.	*Occupation.*	*Residence.*
Baker, J. E. S	Student of Medicine	Baltimore, Md.
Coffenbargen, J. W	Farmer	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Highbarger, H. B	Farmer	Washington county, Md.
Hollis, Jno. S	Clerk	Nashville, Tenn.
Knott, Jno. O	Teacher	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Knott, Geo. M	Farmer	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Osbourne, W. E	Teacher	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Rickard, Thomas L	Merchant	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Smootz, Chas. T	Teacher	Mineral county, W. Va.
Turner, Harry M.	Teacher	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Turner, E. Rush	Teacher.	Jefferson county, W. Va.

Total.....11.

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*Married M. Filmore Reynolds, December 24, 1878.
†Married Lieut. W. A. Simpson, U. S. Army, April 14, 1880.
‡Married Theodore Rodgers, November 18, 1879.

1875–6.

LADIES.

Names.	*Occupation.*	*Residence.*
Entler, Sallie G	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Johnson, A. Rose	Teacher	Hedgesville, W. Va.
Keesecker, Emma K	Teacher	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Morgan, Bettie M	At Home	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Powell, Laura	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Reinhart, Lilly A	At Home	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Rentch, Julia M	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
*Sanders, Hattie H		Sumter, S. C.
†Sanders, S. Louisa	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Triplett, Octavia	Teacher	Berkeley county, W. Va.
West, Mary Lilian	Teacher	Baltimore, Md.

GENTLEMEN.

Names.	*Occupation.*	*Residenee.*
Allen, Hugh P	Engineer	Harrisonburg, Va.
Engle, Geo. F	Teacher	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Fulk, Edward L	Student	Roanoke College, Va.
Fulk, Geo. M	Teacher	Berkeley county, W. Va.
Getzendanner, H. C	Lawyer	Kearneysville, W. Va.
Hess, A. Frank	Teacher	Mill Creek, W. Va.
Knott, Samuel T	Student of Medicine	University, Va.
Morison, G. Porterfield	Student of Medicine	Baltimore, Md.
Osbourne, Horace C	Teacher	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Pitznogle, Elyett B	Teacher	Berkeley county, W. Va.
Ranson, James M., Jr	At Home	Charlestown, W. Va.
Ronemous, Melvin L	Farmer	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Ryan, James T	Student of Divinity	Ft. Wayne, Ind.
Staley, Jacob A	Teacher	Hampshire co., W. Va.
Strider, Randolph J	Teacher	Harper's Ferry, W. Va.
Walper, Joseph	Farmer	Jefferson county, W. Va.

Total.....27.

1876–7.

LADIES.

Names.	*Occupation.*	*Residence.*
Cameron, Ella L	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Hount, Ella D	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Morgan, Anna J	Private Teacher	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Snyder, Dora A	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Stonebraker, Lily V	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Vandiver, Jennie B	Teacher	Romney, W. Va.

GENTLEMEN.

Names.	*Occupation.*	*Residence.*
Highbarger, Wm. T	Student of Medicine	Sharpsburg, Md.
Poland, Charles F	Teacher	Hampshire co., W. Va.

*Died, May 23, 1878.
†Married, July 19, 1877, Dr. W. P. Manning.

1877-8.

LADIES.

Names.	*Occupation.*	*Residence.*
Allen, Mary E	Prin. Fem. G. School	Moorefield, W. Va.
Humbrickhouse, F. B	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Lakin, Marion	Teacher	Grant county, W. Va.
Smootz, Alice H	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.

GENTLEMEN.

Names.	*Occupation.*	*Residence.*
Banks, George W	Teacher	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Crow, C. W	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Engle, Jacob F	Teacher	Morgan county, W. Va.
Engle, Jesse A	Teacher	Jefferson county, W. Va.
Harp, Robert N	Clerk	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Huyett, Robert McM	Clerk	Brucetown, Va.
Hubbard, R. S	Student	Alexandria, Va.

Total.....11.

1878-9.

LADIES.

Names.	*Occupation.*	*Residence.*
Clapham, Bettie M	Teacher	Berkeley county, W. Va.
Fleming, Lily	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Fleming, Rose	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Osbourn, Ida M	At Home	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Pitznogle, Prudence A	At Home	Berkeley county, W. Va.
Reynolds, Emma W	Teacher	Berkeley county, W. Va.

GENTLEMEN.

Names.	*Occupation.*	*Residence.*
Bowers, J. Henry	Teacher	Brucetown, Va.
Fawcett, Charles R	Teacher	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Hill, George J	Clerk	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Hout, Harry Lee	Student	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Knott, Wm. J	Student	Knott's Mill, W. Va.
Logie, Wm. J	Student	Kearneysville, W. Va.
Lucas, Edward R	Farmer	Duffields, W. Va.
Michael, James S	Teacher	Morgan county, W. Va.
Rentch, J. Davis	Student	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Reinhart, Charles H	Merchant	Moler's, W. Va.
Weltzheimer, Fred. Lynn	Printer	Shepherdstown, W. Va.
Wiltshire, Gustave B	Student	Baltimore, Md.

Total 18.